

BRYAN'S REASONS FOR RESIGNING AS SECRETARY STATE

FIRST ACT AS PRIVATE CITIZEN
IS TO ISSUE STATEMENT OF
DIFFERENCES WITH WILSON
OVER THE NOTE SENT TO GER-
MAN GOVERNMENT.

OFFICIALS ARE AMAZED

No Comment at White House on the
Statement—Bryan Says Will Urge
Upon the People to Support Peace
Plan Which Accord With His
Ideas.

Washington, June 9.—William Jen-
nings Bryan retired today as secre-
tary of state. His first act as a pri-
vate citizen was to issue a statement
explaining his reasons for leaving the
cabinet and announcing that he in-
tended to lay his view of what the
American policy toward Germany
should be before the public for judg-
ment.

In his explanation, Mr. Bryan re-
vealed that the president had not felt
in adopting two suggestions made by
his secretary of state—that an offer
should be made to Germany to re-
surrect the questions in dispute with
the United States to an international
commission for investigation during a
year's time and that meanwhile Amer-
icans should by proclamation be
warned not to take vengeance on any
belligerent ships or on American ves-
sels carrying ammunition.

These propositions, Mr. Bryan ex-
pects to urge upon the people "in the
hope of securing such an expression
of public sentiment as will support
the president in employing these reme-
dies if in the future he finds it con-
sistent with his sense of duty to fa-
vor them."

Mr. Bryan's statement was received
with undisguised amazement in of-
ficial quarters. No comment was made
at the white house, but some high of-
ficials indicated that they believed it
most unfortunate.

The principle advocated by Mr.
Bryan is embodied in treaties of peace
negotiated by the United States with
many nations and was accepted by
Germany, although no convention ever
was drafted.

The text of the statement follows
Statement by Bryan.

Just as the new American note to
Germany was started on its way over
the telegraph wires, Mr. Bryan at his
home gave out this statement of his
position:

"My reason for resigning is clearly
stated in my letter of resignation,
namely, that I may employ as a pri-
vate citizen the means of which the
president does not feel at liberty to
employ. I honor him for doing what
he believes to be right, and I am sure
that he desires, as I do, to find a
peaceful solution of the problem which
has been created by the action of the
submarines.

"Two of the points on which we
differ, each conscientious in his con-
viction, are: First, as to the sugges-
tion of investigation by an interna-
tional commission, and
"Second, as to warning Americans
against traveling on belligerent ves-
sels or with cargoes of ammunition.
I believe that this nation should
frankly state to Germany that we are
willing to apply in this case the prin-
ciple which we are bound by treaty
to apply to disputes between the
United States and many countries
with which we have made treaties
providing for investigation of all dis-
putes of every character and nature.

"These treaties, negotiated under
this administration, make war prac-
tically impossible between this coun-
try and thirty governments represent-
ing nearly three-fourths of all the
people of the world.
"Among the nations with which we
have these treaties are Great Britain,
France and Russia. No matter what
disputes may arise between us and
these treaty nations, we agree that
there shall be no declaration and no
commencement of hostilities until the
matters in dispute have been investi-
gated by an international commission
and a year's time is allowed for
investigation and report. This plan was

NO DECISION WHO S TO SUCCEED BRYAN

PRESIDENT WILSON PROBABLY
WILL NOT SELECT FOR
SEVERAL WEEKS.

Lansing Takes Charge, but Does Not
Move His Quarters—Cooler
Room, He Says.

Washington, June 9.—No decision
has been reached by President Wilson
as to the choice of a successor to Wil-
liam Jennings Bryan as secretary of
state. He probably will not make a
selection for several weeks.

In well informed quarters the belief
was expressed that Robert Lansing,
counselor of the department of state,
who was commissioned today by the
president as secretary of state ad in-
terim, eventually would be given the
permanent appointment.

Mr. Lansing took charge of the de-
partment at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
He did not move into the spacious
quarters of the secretary, remaining
in the office occupied by the counsel-
or and his assistants.

"It's a much cooler room," he re-
marked.

Mr. Lansing was named secretary of
state ad interim under a law which
provides that a vacancy occasioned by
death or resignation must not be tem-
porarily filled for a longer period than
thirty days.

It was suggested in some quarters
that Mr. Lansing's appointment was
nothing which specifically for-
bade his reappointment if the presi-
dent wished to consider for a longer
time the problem of naming a per-
manent secretary.

Following is the text of the presi-
dent's designation of Counselor Lan-
sing as acting secretary:

"The White House, Washington,
June 9, 1915.—The Honorable Wil-
liam Jennings Bryan having resigned
the office of secretary of state, I, Wood-
row Wilson, president of the United
States, do hereby, in conformity with
the provisions of sections 27 and 179
of the revised statutes and of the act
of congress approved Feb. 9, 1891, au-
thorize and direct the Honorable Robert
Lansing, counselor for the depart-
ment of state, to perform the duties
of the office of secretary of state for
a period not to exceed thirty days, un-
til a secretary shall have been ap-
pointed and have qualified."
(Signed) "WOODROW WILSON."

While at the white house, Mr. Lan-
sing expressed regret at Mr. Bryan's
resignation.

"I have grown very fond of the sec-
retary and am very sorry to see him
leave the department," said he.

After seeing Mr. Lansing, President
Wilson went to his study. As he en-
tered his automobile, tourists in the
white house grounds joined in a round
of applause and the president raised
his hat and smiled.

"I feel like all the other members
of the cabinet," said Secretary Lan-
sing. "I regret Mr. Bryan's resigna-
tion very much. Personally, I regret
it. I am very fond of Mr. Bryan. I
think the president expressed the feel-
ing of everybody. His own feelings
are those of all the members of the
cabinet."

Waco Man Elected Treasurer of State Retail Jewelers

Galveston, June 9.—The Retail Jew-
elers' association of Texas selected Dal-
las as the new treasurer of the asso-
ciation and elected the following offi-
cers here today:
President, E. E. Taylor, Houston; vice
president, E. E. Dietrich, Cleburne; treas-
urer, Emil Meyer, Groesbeck; secre-
tary, Fred Studer, Waco; directors, Will
Tatum, Galveston; R. H. Taylor, San
Antonio; F. C. Stamm, Corpus Christi; Ben
Miller, Athens; H. E. Feltz, Marshall; G.
W. Schuchman, Dallas; J. L. Leffel, San An-
tonio; Ben Hammond, Corpus Christi; G.
W. Halton, Fort Worth.

The convention closed this afternoon.

Dallas Sues for Pole and Wire Taxes

Dallas, June 9.—The city of Dallas
brought suits in district court here to-
day for approximately \$100,000 for pole
and wire taxes for 1914-15 against the
Western Telephone and Telegraph com-
pany and the Dallas Electric Light
and Power company. Both companies
claim franchise exemption from these
taxes.

A suit brought by the city against the
telephone company for \$15,000 pole and
wire taxes for 1914-15 is now before the
state supreme court.

Including interest the suits brought
today ask \$15,865.29 for the telephone
company and \$14,680 from the light com-
pany.

NOTE TO GERMANY REITERATES FIRST DEMANDS OF U. S.

DEMANDS FOR LOSS OF AMERI-
CAN LIVES ON LUSITANIA AND
EXPRESSES THE DESIRE OF
UNITED STATES THAT GER-
MANY ADHERE TO LAW.

LEAVES ROOM FRIENDLY REPLY

Rejection by Germany Does Not Nec-
essarily Mean War, but Severance
of Diplomatic Relations—Further
Killing of Americans Only Would
Result Seriously.

Washington, June 9.—The United
States today sent to Germany a note
reiterating its demand for repara-
tion for the loss of American lives in the
sinking of the Lusitania and setting
forth clearly the earnest desire of the
American government that Germany
adhere to the principles of international law—that
neutrals be permitted to travel on un-
armed ships without being subjected
to the dangers of submarine warfare.

Couched in much more friendly
terms than it was believed would be
used when the unsatisfactory answer
to the American note of May 13 ar-
rived from Germany, the communica-
tion was cabled to Ambassador Gerard
for presentation to the German foreign
office. It will be given out tomorrow
night for publication in morning pa-
pers of Friday.

As the all-important document on
which President Wilson and his advis-
ers worked for ten days, the note had
behind it the united support of the
cabinet. The one man who had
opposed its terms because he believed
it might precipitate war—William
Jennings Bryan—had resigned the
portfolio of secretary of state at the
moment the note was dispatched.

A statement issued by Mr. Bryan
revealed that President Wilson had
rejected his suggestions for an invest-
igation by a commission for a year's
time of the legal phases of the dis-
pute with Germany during which
Americans should, according to Mr.
Bryan's view, be warned against tak-
ing passage on any belligerent ships
or on American vessels carrying am-
munition.

Wilson Makes No Comment.

President Wilson made no comment
on the statement but the text of the
note, it was stated, would be outlined
fully.

The president stands unalterably, it
was said, on the principle that the
United States at this stage in its his-
tory cannot afford to surrender any
of its rights.

High officials generally held the
view that Mr. Bryan's statement con-
stituted a virtual surrender of Amer-
ican rights guaranteed not only by
international law but by specific
treaties between the United States
and Germany.

Mr. Bryan's suggestion that Amer-
icans do not take passage on Amer-
ican ships carrying ammunition was
in direct conflict, it was pointed out,
with the treaty of 1828 between Prus-
sia and the United States, wherein
the United States guaranteed to Prus-
sia the right to free access to belligerent
ports of commerce in arms and am-
munition and other contraband. More-
over, the right of an American citi-
zen to sail on an unarmed and un-
armed merchant ship for forty hours
in time of war is held by the
president and his advisers to be an
inalienable privilege founded on the
international law of the centuries.

The president's position is founded
on the fact that the United States
is a neutral nation and no flag at all.
He sent the Stars and Stripes up
the staff immediately, he said. He
explained that he used the American
flag in preference to any other be-
cause he could back up his bluff if
hailed by speaking in the English
language. No submarines were sighted.

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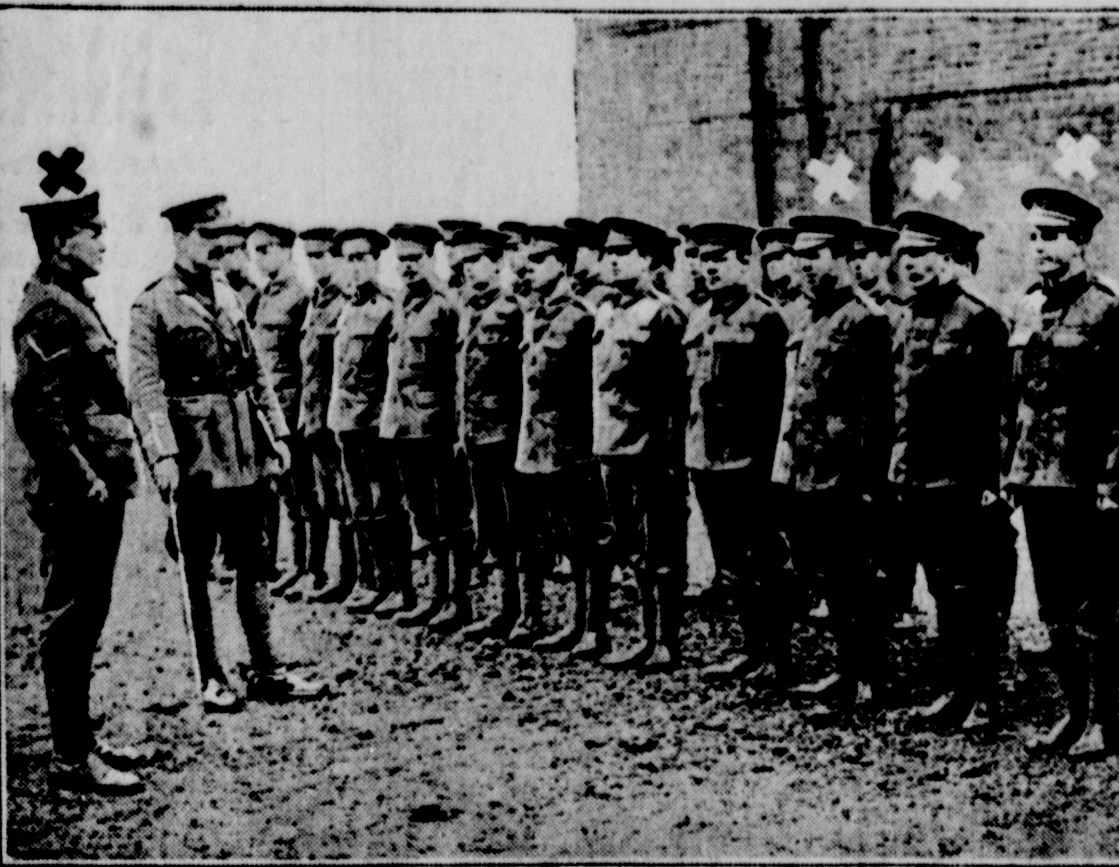
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Well Known Pugilists Are in British Army



FAMOUS BOXERS WITH BRITISH ARMY

All classes of men are joining the army in England. The prize ring is well represented. Pat O'Keefe, the light-weight champion, is a recruiting sergeant. He is shown, indicated by a cross, on the left of the picture. Other fighters in the accompanying illustration, indicated by crosses, left to right, are: W. N. Turner, Jack Goldstein, Dick Burge and Dan Lynch. Military experts declare that men of the prize ring make splendid soldiers. They are fearless and untried to hard knocks.

Moody Waterworks and Ice Plant Is Destroyed by Fire

Moody, June 9.—Fire broke out this
afternoon about 2 o'clock in the engine
room of the city waterworks. The entire
plant was destroyed, as was also the ice
plant and the reservoir.

The loss to Company Brothers, owners,
is estimated to be \$15,000. They had no
insurance.

The town is without water and ice,
but Company Brothers are making efforts
to get water service at the very earliest
moment.

Fire originated in the waste oil near
the exhaust of an oil engine.

Senate Pen Probe Committee Organizes

Austin, June 9.—The senate peni-
tentiary probe committee met today with
all members present with the exception
of Senator Bailey of DeWitt. The com-
mittee organized by the election of Sen-
ator Harley as chairman, Senator Brels-
ford as vice chairman and the naming of
Curtis Knoblesdorf as official stenog-
rapher. W. V. Howerton was elected
secretary at a previous meeting.

The attorney general's department to-
day advised the committee that the de-
partment has held that the committee
has the right to use he legislative contin-
gent expense fund to pay salaries and
traveling expenses of the committee and
that the controller is authorized to is-
sue warrants for such expenses.

The question now is whether or not the com-
ptroller will comply with this opinion.

Flies American Flag Through War Zone

Boston, June 9.—The British steam-
er Solon of the Leyland line, flew
the American flag for forty hours as
a protection against German sub-
marines while passing through the
war zone, according to her command-
er, Captain J. McDonald. The Colon-
ial arrived today from Avonmouth,
England.

It was on May 30, Captain McDon-
ald said, that he was hailed by a
British patrol boat two days out of
Avonmouth and told to "display the
flag of a neutral nation or no flag
at all." He sent the Stars and Stripes
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ANNOUNCE RULES OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE

REGULATIONS MAKE CLEAR HOW
STATE BANKS MAY JOIN
SYSTEM.

Washington, June 9.—Rules and
regulations to govern the membership
of state banks and trust companies
in the federal reserve system were
made public today by the federal re-
serve board. In announcing the regu-
lations under which the right is re-
served to exercise judgment and dis-
cretion in considering each individual
application the board said:

"Appreciating fully that the strength
of the federal reserve system is to be
measured by the quality and character
of its members rather than by their
number, the federal reserve board is
prepared to use the broad discretion-
ary power vested in it by the federal
reserve act to bring about the co-
ordination of different types of bank-
ing institutions on a basis of equity
and practicability. The board has
sought in the regulations governing the
admission of state banks and trust
companies to establish only such rea-
sonable standards of admission as will
be generally recognized as necessary
to protect the federal reserve system
and the national banks whose mem-
bership in the system is obligatory against
the admission of any bank which
would be a source of weakness rather
than of strength and to preserve the
character of the system by insuring
a reasonable conformity to funda-
mental principles deemed essen-
tial to the success of the new banking
system."

The regulations make eligible banks
and trust companies incorporated un-
der state laws having paid up capital
of \$25,000 in towns of 3000 or less,
\$50,000 in towns of from 3000 to 8,000,
and \$100,000 in towns of 8,000 to 50,000,
and \$200,000 in larger cities. Such
banks would be allowed to ask for
reserve bank stock to the amount of
six per cent of the capital and sur-
plus of the applying bank. Then the
application would be investigated by
a committee consisting of the dis-
trict federal reserve agent, the gov-
ernor of the reserve bank and a dis-
interested member of the board. The
recommendation would be submitted to
the federal reserve board.

In passing on applications the finan-
cial condition of the applying bank
or trust company and the general
character of its management will be
considered as well as whether the laws
of the state in which the applying
bank is located contain provisions
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ulations and supervision of member
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State banks entering the system will
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A method is provided for state banks
withdrawing from the system on
twelve months notice. The board an-
nounces its intention of accepting ex-
aminations of state banks by the state
authorities when conditions are sat-
isfactory.

THE WEATHER

Voluntary Forecast.
Increasing cloudiness, and probably
showers, is predicted for today by
W. W. Hampton, assistant in charge
for Dr. L. Block, voluntary observer

Local Readings.
Readings for the twenty-four hours
ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maxi-
mum 90° at 4 p. m., minimum 66° at 9
a. m., barometer 30.91, humidity 39,
wind passage 47 miles, fastest 14 miles
an hour at 6 p. m.; rain .38 of an
inch.

Government Forecast.
Washington, June 9.—Forecast:
Texas and Louisiana—Fair Thurs-
day and Friday.
Oklahoma—Fair Thursday and prob-
ably Friday.

Prompt Action of Engineer Saves the Lives of Passengers

Wichita Falls, June 9.—The prompt
action of Engineer J. R. Clifton in
reversing his engine and backing a
train of seven heavily loaded passen-
ger coaches off the Fort Worth and
Denver bridge over the Big Wichita
river tonight probably saved the lives
of many of its passengers. The bridge,
weakened by flood waters, collapsed
just as the train reached safety be-
yond the first abutment. Engineer
Clifton says he approached the bridge
under slow orders but when his en-
gine reached the second span he felt
the structure quiver and immediately
reversed and shunted his train back
to safety.

Ice Company Plant Blown Up; Two Die

Ponca City, Okla., June 9.—Two men
were killed and two so seriously in-
jured it is expected that they will
die when the main buildings of the
Ponca City Ice company's plant was
wrecked today by an explosion of un-
known cause. Herschell Edwards, 32,
and George Robinson, 23, who were
repairing a pump fifty feet below the
surface, were blown through the roof
of the demolished building and killed.
Two others, who were working near
the top, were thrown through a door
and seriously hurt. Machinery in the
building was blown 200 feet.

P. J. Sullivan Has Chance to Recover

Wichita Falls, June 9.—R. J. Sullivan,
superintendent of the Dallas-Wichita
division of the Santa Fe railroad, who
was injured by a train wreck here today
when a railroad motor car jumped the
track near here, has a chance to recover,
his physicians said here today.

Mr. Sullivan, who was inspecting flood
damage, sustained a fractured skull and
a broken arm.

A stream in this section are steadily
receding today and residents of the
flooded section of this city are beginning
to occupy their homes.

Commission Rules Against Commutation Frank Case

Atlanta, Ga., June 9.—The state
prison commission, by a vote of 2 to 1,
today recommended to Governor
Slaton that Leo M. Frank's death sen-
tence be not commuted to life im-
prisonment. A further hearing on the
case, however, will be heard by the
governor, with whom rests the final
decision. Governor Slaton announced
tonight that he would confer tomor-
row with counsel for the prisoner and
the state as to the hearing. Frank's
counsel will ask that an immediate
date be fixed. The appeal to the gov-
ernor is Frank's last fight against his
execution, which is set for June 22
next.

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WAR TAKES SECOND PLACE IN EYES OF THE BRITISH PEOPLE

ALL INTEREST IN LONDON CEN-
TERS ON THE RESIGNATION OF
SECRETARY BRYAN—BELIEVE
NOTE TO GERMANY IS VERY
STRONG—PAPERS COMMENT.

BRITISH CASUALTIES INCREASE

Operations in Dardanelles Swell List
to 250,000, Losses in Navy to Be
Added—Battle in Galicia Is the
Most Important of Battles Now Be-
ing Fought.

London, June 9.—The resignation of
William Jennings Bryan and the na-
ture of the American note to Germany,
which brought it about, transcend in
interest all else bearing on the war.
The London papers give Mr. Bryan's
letter of resignation and President
Wilson's reply the most prominent
place. These are followed by long
dispatches from their American cor-
respondents and articles on Mr. Bryan's
career which emphasize his advocacy
of settlement of international disputes
by arbitration and draw the conclu-
sion that the note must be very
strong to have brought about the re-
tirement.

"America stands firm," or similar
phrases, are the most favored head-
lines and also the text of editorials
commenting on the latest develop-
ments in the American-German rela-
tions.

Even the news that another German
submarine had been sunk and the an-
nouncement by Mr. Balfour, first lord
of the admiralty, of a change in the
British policy respecting the treat-
ment of German prisoners of war, had
to take second place in the day's
events.

This change in policy has been ex-
pected for some time. When Winston
Spencer Churchill, the first lord of
the admiralty, announced on March 5
that prisoners rescued from German sub-
marines would not be accorded the "hon-
orable treatment" extended the other
prisoners, a number of the members
of the house of commons expressed
disapproval and anticipated the re-
versal which the Germans took against
the British imprisoned in Germany.

Casualties Are 250,000.

Another important announcement in
the house of commons which attracted
much attention was that of the
premier who stated that the casualties
among the British expeditionary forces
on the continent and in the Mediter-
ranean amounted to more than 250,000
men. A little less than half of these
casualties occurred since April 11.
Up to that time the monthly average
of casualties was about 17,400, but
the fighting in Flanders and the Dar-
danelles since the seven weeks to the
end of May brought the average for
the ten months of the war up to near-
ly 26,000 monthly, or more than 800
daily.

There are still the casualties suf-
fered by the navy and naval division
to be added to this total.

So far as battles are concerned, that
in Galicia holds the center of the
stage. The capture by the Austro-
German army of Stanislaw shows that
the offensive against the Russians
has been steady and that the Russians
have been compelled to fall back to
their defenses on the Niester. In
eastern Galicia, however, the rest of
the line which follows the upper Dniester
and thence eastward from Przemyśl
to the San they appear to be holding
their own and are counter attacking.

In the Baltic provinces the fighting
continues with varying success.

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GRANTS WRIT ERROR COUNTRY CLUB CASE

SUPREME COURT INDICATES
THAT THERE IS MERIT IN
CONTENTION.

On Decision Rests the Life of Social
Clubs That Are Dispensing
Liquor.

Austin, June 9.—The supreme court today granted the application for a writ of error in the case of the Country club against the state of Texas, from Travis county. This is what is known as the bona fide social club case and a final decision of which depends the existence of practically all of the bona fide social clubs in Texas. Today's action of the supreme court would indicate there is some merit in the contention of the clubs. This is the text of the notation made by the supreme court today on its private docket as to why the writ was granted:

"We grant the writ for the purpose of hearing the case on argument." Judge Wilcox of the 25th district court held in this case that bona fide social clubs had the right to dispense liquors to its members every day in the year with the exception of election days. The third court of civil appeals reversed this decision, holding that these social clubs have no authority under their charters to dispense liquor to their members at any time that is unauthorized by their charters. Now the supreme court is to review these decisions.

Temple to Regulate the Jitney Busses

Temple, June 9.—At the regular session of the city council held last night a jitney regulation ordinance of a stringent character was passed to its second reading. The provisions are similar to the Fort Worth ordinance. Bids were opened for the construction of a concrete dam for the city waterworks over Leon river and also for erecting a six-room brick addition to the Reagan grammar school building. Numerous bids were received for each. Under the city charter all bids must be over for forty-eight hours before awards are made. P. C. Burns of Houston was lowest bidder on the dam, his figures being \$16,460.

On the school contract Smith & Patzold of Waco were lowest bidders with an offer of \$9670. Awards will be made at a council meeting to be held Thursday, June 10. The council adopted an ordinance under emergency rule, accepting the gift of a park donated by W. Goodrich Jones of Temple.

Socialists Draft Memorials.
Chicago, June 9.—The national executive committee of the socialist party met here today and drafted two memorials to President Wilson—one on the Mexican situation and the other on conditions in Colorado and the result of the coal miners' strike. The committee protested against the president's changing his policy of non-interference in Mexico and recommended that he order an investigation into the Colorado elections under the authority of the department of justice.

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"A few months ago I was persuaded to try Grape-Nuts food, and it had such good effect from the very beginning that I kept up its use. I was surprised at the ease with which I digested it. It proved to be just what I needed."

"All my unpleasant symptoms, the heart-burn, the inflated feeling which gave me so much pain, disappeared. My weight gradually increased from 88 to 116 pounds, my figure rounded out, my strength came back, and I am now able to do my housework and enjoy it. Grape-Nuts did it."

A ten days' trial will show anyone some facts about food.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

DISTRICT TRUSTEES TO MEET AT MARLIN

PROMINENT EDUCATORS FROM
ALL OVER THE STATE ARE
TO SPEAK.

State Superintendent W. F. Doughty
Will Attend the Meeting on
July 6.

Marlin, June 9.—The county board of school trustees of Falls county calls for a county convention of all the district trustees to meet in this city in the district court room July 6, at which time prominent educators from over the state will be present to make addresses. State Superintendent W. F. Doughty will attend the meeting to aid in the solution of such questions as may come up for solution at the meeting.

Laxon-Green Case on Trial.
Marlin, June 9.—The case of Laxon vs. Fink & Green is again on trial in the district court, three former trials having resulted in a hung jury. Laxon is suing for damages on account of the alleged sale of bad sausage, which, it is alleged, caused his illness and that of three members of his family, resulting in the death of one child. The suit was filed in 1908 and has now been dragging its way through a course of litigation extending through almost seven years.

Old Negro Gets Divorce.
Marlin, June 9.—Ninety-nine years old was the age given in the district court yesterday by Alfred Turney, a negro, in suing for a divorce from his wife, who is said to be very much younger than that. The divorce was granted, much to the old man's delight, but he made no statement as to his intention of marrying again in the near future.

Marlin After Press Meet.
Marlin, June 9.—R. W. Bounds, the mayor of Marlin, left today at noon for Corpus Christi, to represent the city, the commercial club, and bearing with him an invitation eleven miles long, signed by the faculty and school children of the Marlin schools, to invite the Texas Press association to meet in Marlin in 1916.

Jitney Ordinances Win in Two Cases

Austin, Tex., June 9.—Motion for rehearing was overruled today by the court of criminal appeals in the case of ex parte I. W. Sullivan, from Tarrant county. This is the first step toward getting that meeting for the next year, when a better and more determined effort will be put forth.

It is understood this case is now to be taken to the supreme court of the United States. The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the cases of Henry Giles and R. Goodman, from Dallas county. These appellants were each given 99 years in the penitentiary, on convictions of robbery. Affirmance was also had in the case of Joe Martin, from Hamilton county, who was fined \$100 for slander; also affirmed the case of George Urban, alias Robert E. Erwin, from Dallas county, who was given two years in the state prison on conviction of false swearing.

This court today granted a rehearing and reversed and remanded the case of M. E. Gray, from Dallas county, appellant having been convicted of a charge of abortion.

The court also reversed the cases of Jim Sparks and Charlie Eshelman, both from Wichita county; these appellants having been convicted of robbery and given five years each in the penitentiary. Also reversed and remanded the case of J. B. Taylor, from Smith county, who was given two years on conviction of manslaughter, and Bob Caruth, from Wichita county, who was given two years on conviction of gaming.

A jitney bug is a common carrier and as such is susceptible to every reasonable rule and regulation which a city may impose. The fourth court of civil appeals today decided in the case of R. J. Green vs. the City of San Antonio. The court upheld the main features of which is the imposition of a \$25 a year license for each car and an indemnity bond of \$10,000 for the protection of passengers. It is not believed any effort will be made to get the case before the supreme court.

"No man has the right," says Chief Justice W. S. Fry's opinion, "to use the streets for the prosecution of his private business and his use for that purpose may be prohibited or regulated, as the state or municipality may deem best for the public good."

The peddler can be regulated in his use of the streets, the mind can offer no reason why the jitney driver should not be regulated in his traffic on the streets."

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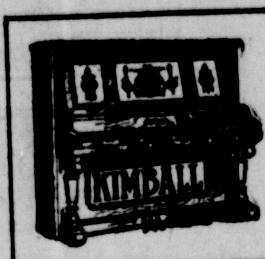
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- The majority of this stock is brand new, some slightly shopworn for the lack of care while the store was closed by the court, and many others slightly used. Every one in perfect playing condition.
- For the benefit of those who would like to take advantage of this sale but feel they are unable to pay all cash, arrangements have been made with the trustees for easy payments and the price is just the same.
- You can't overlook this chance to buy a Piano or Player-Piano if you expect to buy in the next two years, as the terms can be arranged so that you can buy on easy terms and at the same time secure a high grade instrument for what you would ordinarily pay for an inferior one.



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**Full Educational
Bill Is Approved by
Governor Ferguson**

Austin, June 9.—Governor Ferguson late today approved in full the departmental and educational appropriation bills. He did not reach a conclusion on certain of the items in the educational bill until he had several conferences with Dr. W. J. Battle, acting president of the University of Texas.

As to the error made in the enrolling of the item for the construction of the college auditorium for the A. & M. college, the governor obtained a ruling from the attorney general in which it was held that the entire amount of \$1,000,000 could be left standing in the bill, but that the college authorities will be restricted to the expenditure of only \$100,000, as contemplated by the legislature. The item was for the last named sum, while in enrolling the bill it was made to read \$1,000,000. The governor has still on his desk the miscellaneous appropriation bill, which he probably will dispose of tomorrow.

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Western Roads Want Increases.
Chicago, June 9.—Briefs in behalf of the sixty-four western railroads who have petitioned for increases in freight rates were completed today and forwarded to the Interstate Commerce commission in Washington, D. C., to be filed with that body tomorrow. Oral arguments in briefs will be held by the commission June 22.

Pennsylvania Buys Steel.
New York, June 9.—Announcement was made today that the Pennsylvania railroad has placed orders for 155,500 tons of steel rail. Orders for 12,000 tons have heretofore been given, making the total orders for the year 167,500 tons for the lines east and west of Pittsburgh. The orders placed today call for 118,000 tons of 100-pound rail and 37,500 tons of 125-pound rail.

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WASTING MONEY ON ROADS.

Addressing a meeting of the Ozark Trails Association at Independence, Kansas, Tuesday, W. H. Seed of Nevada, Mo., employed the following strong language:

"We are spending \$18,000,000 annually in this country to maintain 2,000,000 miles of dirt roads, and only 10 per cent of them are efficiently maintained. It costs every county in the United States an average of \$40,000 annually for the spring and fall plowing of the highways, because we turn loose upon the roads men who expect to make a dirt road travel-fit by plowing and harrowing. Dirt roads are a joke. There are two people we must eliminate if we are to get our money's worth—the grafting expert and the hopeless ignoramus."

We are not prepared to vouch for the accuracy of every statement employed by Mr. Seed but we know that the general principle in his talk is correct. The two great defects in our road improvement in the past, and largely of the present, are the failure to build our roads of permanent material and refusal to make provision for their adequate maintenance.

The costly system of good roads in Ellis county, about which we have heard so much in the last few years and to see which journeys have been made from many sections of the state by county judges, commissioners, and good roads enthusiasts generally, is rapidly deteriorating, we are informed, because the roads were not built of permanent material and proper provision for their upkeep was not made.

Over in Smith county, we understand, dirt roads have been constructed at a considerable cost which look well for a while, but because the dirt foundation was not overlaid with the iron gravel and clay that abound in that county and which make a very hard, firm roadbed when properly treated, the roadbeds become soggy when it rains and the good roads for which the bonds were voted are not there.

It is a waste of public money to vote bonds for roads that will not last. But it must be borne in mind that many roads of moderate cost would last if proper attention were paid to maintenance. There is not enough of intelligent engineering skill employed in formulating as well as executing road improvements. Every county should have a competent road superintendent or engineer. The commissioners should taboo politics in the handling of the road funds and seek to build up roads that will serve their constituents throughout the years to come rather than a political machine to foster their own political advancement.

McLennan county and several others in the state have set the pace in this direction. A competent engineer will cost money, of course, but if he is the right kind of man he will save the county ten, twenty and more times his salary every year in constructive service. Roads to last should be built of good material and nearly every county has good road building material within its borders. And having built good roads the county authorities should see to it that they are properly maintained and the roads saved to serve the succeeding generations which, through the operations of bond issues, will have to assist in paying for them.

Do hogs pay? They may pay for a few things but not for their newspaper subscriptions if they can get out of it, observes one of our rural exchanges.

Second in sweetness only to the sweet girl graduate and the June bride is the June peach, which has also arrived.

Lynn county, Texas, remains in the dry column by a vote of three to one.

It still requires nerve to discharge the duties of a Texas Ranger.

MR. BRYAN'S RESIGNATION.

Throughout the country there is regret that Mr. Bryan deemed it advisable to sever his relations with the Wilson cabinet, we feel confident, for the people of this country realize that Mr. Bryan is a man of large powers and high character. His resignation accentuates the tension that marks our diplomatic relations at the present time, makes the task of President Wilson more delicate and more difficult in a measure, perhaps—while at the same time simplifying matters for the president considerably, no doubt—and robs the administration of the helpful influence of the idealistic and altruistic attitude of Mr. Bryan, a factor not always to be despised.

Mr. Bryan is an idealist. He thinks ahead of his time. Doubtless the United States may come to accept his views on international peace and diplomacy, in time, just as they have accepted others of his theories which were deemed wildly radical when he first promulgated them. We believe he could have been true to his ideals if, after having expressed them fully, he had accepted the note to Germany as the sentiment of the administration, for the secretary of state is not the responsible head of the government and is not even presumed to outline the foreign policy of the administration. We believe the secretary could have accomplished more in impressing some of his ideals upon the administration's policies by remaining a member of the cabinet than by severing his relations with it. But Mr. Bryan is proud. He was cast in the mold of a leader, not of a follower, and we are not surprised that he has chosen this opportunity to leave the cabinet, for we have felt for many weeks that he must be chafing under the formulation of the most important state papers by the president instead of by the state department.

But with all this, we are glad to see the parting, now that it has come, in such a friendly manner. It requires a big man to sever his relations with a cabinet on account of differences with the president and still retain his loyalty to the president and the administration. But those who know the sincerity of Mr. Bryan and the president must know that their letters on the subject could not have been so cordial had their personal relations been as much at variance as their views on how to deal with Germany. Mr. Bryan says he will support the president still and we feel sure he will. He is a patriot.

He owes much to the president, just as the president owes much to him for what he did for him both before and after the latter's election to the presidency. Mr. Bryan is not seeking political advantage in leaving the cabinet and the country is too solidly behind the president in his dealings with Germany to make capital for Mr. Bryan in the latter's withdrawal from the cabinet, were he even seeking such an end.

It is a philosophical rather than a political difference that divides the men, and while we regret in a measure to see Mr. Bryan leave the cabinet, we feel that under the circumstances it is well enough for the Wilson administration. It will enable the administration to pursue a more vigorous course in demanding the proper regard for this nation's rights at the hands of both Germany and the allies. Many persons believe that the foreign policy pursued under the present administration has been its weakest feature. The president's firm note to Germany has done more to reassure the country of its ability to cope with foreign problems than anything else that has occurred and while the country does not want war it does desire that the rights of its commerce and the lives of its people shall be properly safeguarded upon the high seas and everywhere else.

We believe it is well that Mr. Bryan, entertaining the views that he does and being unwilling to subordinate those views to the opinion of the president and the cabinet, has stepped down and out. This step will probably be fatal to any further political aspirations he may have had for himself. But he has accumulated a competence and will not suffer if he never holds public office again. It is suggested he would like to go to the United States senate from Nebraska but that is neither here nor there. Mr. Bryan still has the confidence of the country on many matters and as a publicist of some character, either as a lecturer or editor, possibly both, he will still discuss public issues before the people of this country and in that capacity, as well as in the councils of his party, he will still command a large influence. And we doubt not but that the larger part of that influence will be for good.

THAT STUDENT SCANDAL.

More serious than the alleged disgraceful conduct of certain students at the naval academy at Annapolis is the reported effort of certain senators and representatives to secure clemency for the chief offenders through the bringing to bear of political pressure. As Superintendent Fullam told the naval court which is investigating the whole affair, if political forces were allowed to control in such a matter it would be impossible to maintain a standard of discipline in the academy.

It is in very bad taste for the politicians to be interfering in the case at all, for if the young men are innocent the naval court will exonerate them, and if they are guilty, then they should share the punishment that is provided for the regulation of the academy. It is unthinkable to waive the discipline of so important an institution as this for political considerations and if it should develop that Admiral Fullam's statement to the court to the effect that two United States senators and a congressman were seeking to use their influence to secure clemency for the offenders a polite rebuke from the naval court or the president himself might not be amiss. Cheating on examinations is inexcusable. Collusion on the part of instructors in the

naval academy with the students in such a scheme is worse. But political interference to prevent the discipline of the academy being enforced is more reprehensible than either. President Wilson has ordered the midshipmen who are suspected detained under arrest while the court of inquiry is proceeding and we hope the court will stand for no whitewashing if it is at all possible to determine just who of the instructors and students are at fault.

TAKE COURT REFORM TO PEOPLE.

The legislature adjourned without taking action for court reform. Thus it has been written at the end of each session of the legislature for the last quarter of a century, and thus it will continue to be written for the next quarter of a century if the question is left with the legislature, says the Farm and Ranch.

The controlling element there has been, and always will be, indifferent to the subject. Some know nothing and care nothing about it, and others feel too kindly toward the fee system to move for betterment except under severe compulsion.

It is easier to take a continuance in the legislature than in a court room, and this subterfuge is always available. It is chargeable to the entire legislature, and the individual member finds it easy to disclaim responsibility. Thus he is able to get by without flying in the face of public sentiment, and at the same time to offer solid comfort to the fee grabbers, who are the sole beneficiaries of the disgraceful conditions which now exist in the courthouse.

Thus it goes. The members of the legislature always protest that they have not time to consider court reforms. They always give that excuse. The people should take them at their word, and excuse them altogether from the task. To be entirely frank about it, they are, and always will be, wholly incompetent for the job. Court reform such as the average legislature would yield would, of necessity, be a travesty upon the name of reform. The legislature reaches the high watermark of its ability in frankly proclaiming its own incapacity to deal with the subject. Why should any one take the trouble to deny what is an obvious fact?

The people of Texas should take the legislature at its word. It has not time to consider this subject. It should not be asked to consider it. The people should formulate the laws they want, and should proceed to elect men to the legislature who will take the time to vote for a bill or bills already approved by the people. The member who cannot find time to do that should be kicked out of public life and kept out. The time has come to proclaim that no man can serve the fee grabbers and pretend to serve the people.

Jim Hogg argued the free pass question with the legislature. The legislature blandly smiled and said that it didn't have the time to consider the subject seriously. Then Jim Hogg got out on the stump and presented the subject to the people, and asked them to pledge themselves to defeat every candidate for the legislature who couldn't find time to vote for an anti-free pass bill. Candidates for the legislature soon found time to deal with the subject. Those who could not find the time, for the most part, failed to land in the legislature.

What is needed now is a definite program which will represent the public demand and mean something. The time for milk and cider proposals has passed. The fee grabbers have grown insolent through success, and continue to pile up the cost of litigation until it is intolerable. Every feature of court procedure presents a distinct and outrageous imposture upon the litigant and the public. Let the watchword now be that the whole system shall be reformed, and common sense shall rule in the courthouse. Since the battle must be fought before the people, let it be a battle to a finish, and let the victory be worth the struggle. The friends of real court reform should get together and prepare the measure to be submitted to the next legislature. This should be done before other issues of less importance shall divert the public mind. Then let an advocate of reform be found in every county who will, as a public service, stump his county and pledge the people to give their votes only for candidates who will actively support these measures. In this way, the fee grabbers can be routed in one round in the next legislature. The man who joins with them in the contest before the people will find himself outside the breastworks very soon. Their only chance to win is through artifice and delay inside the legislature.

Farm and Ranch believes that the time has come for popular action. The people can get court reform at the hands of the next legislature if they will themselves go after it. They will not get court reform in 100 years if they wait for the legislature to go after it. Why delay the effort to make the courthouse an agency of law instead of an agency for the exploitation of unconscionable fees? The people must make the fight if it is ever made. Lawyers in their individual or aggregate capacity will not make it. The legislature refuses to make it. Let the people make it. Court procedure should conform to common sense. The people have common sense and they can shape statutes which will give results.

Farm and Ranch pledges its support to a people's movement for court reform. It believes that the press of the state would give it united and hearty support. Let the people blaze the way.

With a wheat crop estimated at 950,000,000 bushels in sight we will not only not have to go hungry in the United States next year but will be able to assist largely in feeding the destitute of Mexico, Belgium and Poland and the peoples in the war-stricken zones generally.



A Galley o' Fun!

MAKING CAPITAL.

The New Reporter (going to the telephone and ostentatiously starting the machinery).—Hello, Central! Let me have 2745 C, please. (A pause). You giddy little thing! No. I said twenty-seven. Twenty-sev—. Hello! Is that 2745 C? Is Mr. Sawgertees Devoy in the office? Will you tell him that Mr. Jefferson McAddister would like to speak with him? Yes, that's the name, McAddister, journalist.

(The other reporters listen in awestruck silence.)
The New Reporter.—Is this really Mr. Devoy? My name is—. Ah, you recognize my voice? You perhaps remember that I interviewed you yesterday. What's that? Best report? Oh, thank you! You're very kind. I tried to make it so. Has anything turned up in regard to that case since noon? Well, sorry to trouble you. Eh? Dinner? You're extremely kind. At Sherry's? What? And a bottle? (Surging interest in the entire staff.) It's awfully kind of you. Well, say Tuesday, at eight. But really I—
City Editor (in his every-day voice).—I have some work here, McAddister, when you are quite through talking to yourself. That telephone has been disconnected since morning.

The train-despatcher is one man to count on: What he says goes.

When the reading public has faith in a writer's name it is a faith which must be backed up by good works.

A SMART GIRL.

Mrs. Newgold.—Genevieve—Alber-tine—you are not playing that duet together. One of you is a bar ahead of the other.
Genevieve (proudly).—Well, I was the one ahead, anyway!

CONSTITUTIONAL.

"I took a long walk yesterday," said Boreman, as he collapsed into a seat at Busyman's desk.
"Take another, old man," suggested Busyman; "it'll do us both good."

TURN ABOUT.

Toots.—It takes an artist to mix a cocktail, according to the experts.
Tanks.—I dare say. I've seen a cocktail mix an artist.

SANCTUM PLEASANTY.

"So this is your idea of wit, eh?" said the editor, as he read Waggs's jokes.
"Yes, it is," said Waggs.
"Well, the idea is certainly original," said the editor.

THE WINDOW.

There blushes at the window
A creamy crimson rose,
And just outside upon the sill
The storm-kid piles his snows.

A slender glass partition,
Flowered and vined with rime,
Divides the blushing summer from
The chilly winter time.

A child with laughing features
Looks out upon the snows,
While on the sill a sparrow
Looks longing at the rose.

AN EXTREME CASE.

"Talking about people with poor memories," said the man of remarkable experiences, "the worst case of the kind I ever knew was a man



named A. Frelinghuysen Smith. He invariably wrote his name that way, and after he had been doing it for about fifteen years I'm blest if he didn't forget what the 'A' stood for!"

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loose Norfolk and three-quarter-length styles are followed. The silk is usually dark blue, or black, touched with mustard at the collar and cuffs. With the hat and coat, motoring apparel practically ceases, for what is worn under the coat is purely a matter of choice. The sportswoman dons her trig linen or corduroy skirt and manish blouse, while the woman motoring to see a friend wears a comfortable one-piece dress. Blue taffeta is a material which shows little dirt and is well adapted to this purpose. There is an excellent model shown in dark blue Scotch plaid cut in the new Puritan style. The waist is plain, save for the organdy collar and cuffs; the wide belt has a white buckle and the skirt has grouped inset pleats at the side. Such a costume could be worn in the motor with a pongee, worsted or taffeta coat, and is suitable for calling, shopping or almost any afternoon affair. A woman who motors a great deal has adopted a costume of this type; by wearing a fine net over her hair she is always presentable when she leaves the car. The small sunshade is another convenience. These come in all colors and really save a person from tanning. If the motorist remembers these little essentials, and carries cold-cream and powder in her bag, there is no excuse in this day and age for being anything but fresh and becomingly gowned.



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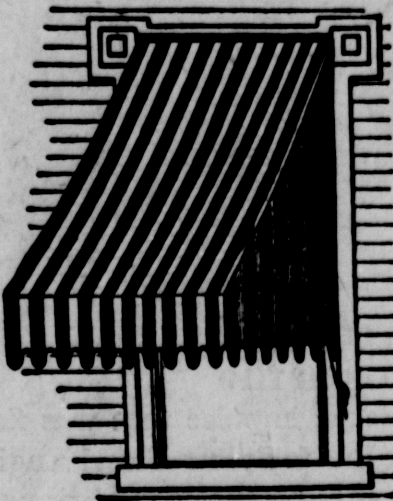
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Villa Sends Response
by Manuel Bonilla

Washington, June 9.—A message from Chihuahua to the Villa agency here tonight announced that Manuel Bonilla had started for Washington with General Villa's response to President Wilson's warning that the bellicent Mexican factions must restore peace and save the famine-threatened civilian population of the southern republic from further suffering.

Spokesmen for the Villa element already have indicated that their chief stands ready to co-operate in a peace movement. A reply from General Carranza is expected by cable through Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz.

Manuel Bonilla was minister of public works in the cabinet of the late President Madero and is regarded as one of the strong men among Villa's supporters. He is expected to deliver the response to Enrique C. Lorente, head of the agency here for presentation to the American government.

No definite news reached Washington tonight from central Mexico, where Obregon, the Carranza commander, and Villa are believed to be engaged in their final battle. The Carranza agency still claims that Obregon has won a great victory, but the Villa representatives insist there has been no fighting of consequence since the Carranza forces were driven from Silao last week.

The American Red Cross announced tonight that supplies for the relief of starving Mexican non-combatants would be received at Bush Terminal, New York City, Galveston, Laredo, Brownsville and El Paso, Texas, and Nogales, Ariz. Army quartermasters at the border posts will handle the supplies by direction of the war department.

Slocum Cases are
Thrown Out of Court

Palestine, June 9.—The so-called Slocum murder cases all thrown out of court today by order of the district court. These cases grew out of the killing of negroes by an alleged mob in this county some few years ago.

W. T. Carter With Belton Paper. Belton, June 9.—W. T. Carter, editor of the Belton Herald, has become associated with E. Bowden of this city in the publication of the Belton Messenger, a weekly newspaper, and will be actively identified with same. He will continue to reside at Belton for the present.

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BRYAN'S REASONS
FOR RESIGNING AS
SECRETARY STATE

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extended to all the country without any exception whatever. The German was one of the nation's best citizens, the principle, being the twelfth, I think, to accept. No treaty actually was entered into with Germany, but I cannot see that that should stand in the way when both nations endorsed the principle. I do not know whether Germany would accept the offer, but our country should, in my judgment, make the offer.

Germany Friendly Nation.

"Such an offer, if accepted, would at once relieve the tension and silence all the tongues who are demanding war. Germany has always been a friendly nation and a great many of our people are of German ancestry. Why should we not deal with Germany according to this plan, to which the nation has pledged its support?"

"The second point of difference is as to the course which should be pursued in regard to Americans traveling on belligerent ships or with cargoes of ammunition."

"Why should an American citizen be permitted to involve his country in war by traveling upon a belligerent ship when he knows that the ship will pass through a danger zone? The question is not whether any American citizen has a right under international law to travel on a belligerent ship; the question is whether he ought not, out of consideration for his country, or not for his own safety, avoid danger when avoidance is possible."

"It is a very one-sided citizenship that compels a government to go to war over a citizen's right and yet relieve the citizen of all obligations to consider his nation's welfare. I do not know just how far the president legally can go in actually preventing Americans from traveling on belligerent ships, but I believe the government should go as far as it can and that in case of doubt it should give the benefit of the doubt to the government."

Mart Teachers Elected.

Mart, June 9.—At a recent meeting of the board of trustees the following teachers were elected for the ensuing year: Mr. Koetig, superintendent; Misses Blanche Boyd, Leota Wallace, Myrtle Gladdish, Allan May Gladdish, Eleanor Hamilton, Addie McMurry, Grace Gillespie, Zulieka Corley, Killen.

Y. W. C. A. Organizer Invited.

Temple, June 9.—Organizers of the Temple Young Women's Christian association have extended an invitation to Miss Mildred Corbett, field organizer of the association at Dallas, to visit this city at some date in the near future for the purpose of assisting in the perfection of the local organization. In the meantime local members are going ahead with their plans and completing the necessary details.

Good Roads Meeting at Temple.

Temple, June 9.—The Texas Good Roads association will conduct a three days' meeting in this city June 28-30, inclusive, for the purpose of launching a state-wide campaign for larger membership. Over one hundred and fifty visitors from all portions of the state are expected to attend. This information was received today via long distance telephone from President D. Colp of the association at San Antonio.

Thrashers Begin Work.

McGregor, June 9.—In the McGregor territory several thrashers began work Monday but the showers Tuesday stopped them. Farmers seem anxious to get the crop in as early as possible on account of the weather, and because they fear the market on grain will not remain as good as it is at the present. Some of them have already declared their intention to hold grain unless better prices prevail than are now in sight.

Summer Agricultural Course.

Temple, June 9.—If plans that are being laid by the Chamber of Commerce and County Demonstrator Thomas Youngblood are successful, the county will be favored this summer with a short course in agriculture lasting three days, to be conducted under auspices of experts from State A. & M. college at the State Experiment Farm west of the city. If the plan proves successful a number of field meetings will be held in the section close to Temple.

Catholic Knights at Galveston.

Galveston, June 9.—Fort Worth appeared to be the most likely contender for the next biennial convention of the Texas Council, Catholic Knights of America, which began a two days' session here today. The convention is attended by delegates from every important city in Texas.

Latham Case Continued.

Snyder, Tex., June 9.—The case of W. H. Latham, charged as an accomplice in the killing of John Stewart, here in January, 1914, was continued at Haskell today because of the absence of two material witnesses. Stewart was shot and killed by Mrs. Minnie Latham.

the note. Mr. Daniels was with those who differed with the secretary of state.

Some Wanted Stronger Note.

Some members even advised a stronger phraseology than the president had used, but on the final revision the decision to send the note was unanimous.

There was a well defined trend of opinion in official quarters that the resignation of Mr. Bryan would be far from increasing Germany with the earnest intention of the United States to insist on its rights. It is understood that the United States has from time to time received authoritative information from German officials believed the administration was committed to a policy of uninterrupted peace and did not intend at any time or under any circumstances to go to war. Mr. Bryan's resignation, many officials thought, would remove all doubts in Berlin, and if Germany were sincerely desirous of averting war she would at once increase her peace pronouncements. The view that Mr. Bryan's action, therefore, might influence favorably the situation was shared by some of his closest friends.

Secretary Bryan was the recipient of many telegrams expressing regret at his resignation and commending him for the manner in which he submitted it. He will stay in Washington for a short time and then depart. His resignation was unexpected in official and diplomatic Washington generally. Only a small circle of friends knew that Mr. Bryan had offered to eliminate himself from the situation to prevent further embarrassment in the cabinet.

Twice before, it is now known, Mr. Bryan was willing to place before the president his resignation, but each time the president succeeded in bringing the secretary to his own point of view.

In the present crisis Mr. Bryan is understood to have insisted upon and convinced the president that to remain in the cabinet would prove very embarrassing to him. He believed that his advocacy of the cause of peace, particularly his negotiation of nearly thirty peace treaties with the principal nations of the world. The principle of those treaties is that the United States should not become involved in a year's investigation, during which hostilities are forbidden. Treaties of this kind have been negotiated with practically all the nations of the world, including Germany and Turkey. Germany has accepted the principle of the treaties. The president heartily endorsed the idea of the treaties.

Couldn't Be Submitted.

The situation with Germany, however, constitutes a case which he could not submit to a tribunal for investigation unless some definite guarantee were given in advance that the acts complained of would not be repeated while the discussion or investigation was in progress.

In the closing hour of his administration Secretary Bryan bade farewell to the state, war and navy buildings, looked after some minor executive questions and received newspaper correspondents.

When Mr. Bryan came out of Assistant Secretary Roosevelt's office he was surrounded by newspaper men.

"Well, gentlemen," said he, "you see I am not late today. Sometimes I have been late, particularly so yesterday. Did you ever see an old hen trying to get her chickens beneath her in the evening?"

"Well, I often felt like the old hen in some respects. I have been trying to keep a number of international secrets up under my wing, so to speak, and if some of them have slipped out, it is because I have been afraid that some of the secrets would creep out. Of course, you don't question the old hen's good intentions and I hope you won't mine. So much for fiction. As for news, I have none to give you—you know it all."

Mr. Bryan said he expected to see President Wilson at 11 o'clock.

"I do not expect to return," said he. "It is probable I shall receive the members of the diplomatic corps at my home."

Takes Leave of Employees. Mr. Bryan, in taking leave of state department employees, told them "the rewards of life are not to be found either in the money we make or in the honors we enjoy."

"The real honors are affections we feel for each other," said he. "The best reward is appreciation accompanied by good will. In leaving you, I want to assure you without reference to distinction or position you occupy my appreciation of your co-operation and devotion to duty and that my good will follows you wherever you may go. If I may go out feeling that your good will goes with me, I shall be very content."

Solicitor Cone Johnson responded on behalf of the state department employees and an affecting scene ensued. Mr. Bryan said he was glad to have seen him show so much emotion.

At 12:30 o'clock Mr. Bryan left the state department and went to the White House, where President Wilson received him.

For fifteen minutes the president and Mr. Bryan talked, exchanging words of farewell. The secretary was making his last official call on the president, but

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mander of the J. C.
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That Plant Juice is repeating its success here is proven every day by the large number of testimonials received from people in signed statements as to the benefits they have received. Recently Mr. John Little, whose home is at 3274 Damon street, Pittsburgh, who is one of "the boys" who answered the nation's call and followed the old flag for 22 months as a member of Company I, Seventy-ninth Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, commanded by Col. S. W. Caldwell, through the various engagements participated in by that famous old volunteer organization at Stone Ridge, Nashville and other engagements that go to make history of those stirring days. Mr. Little is now commander of the J. C. Hull G. A. R. Post No. 157. He is employed as assistant custodian of Memorial Hall on Fifth avenue, and is a man whose veracity is absolutely unquestioned. He stated:

"I had suffered from stomach trouble for the past 20 years. After the war I went to the far west, Montana and North Dakota, where I engaged in business, and it was there that I first noticed my stomach began to fail to perform its proper functions. My food would ferment and turn sour and I was badly nauseated. My stomach would fill with gas and I would bloat myself to a horrible size. The pains from indigestion would almost set me wild at times. I could hardly ever get a good night's sleep, was nervous, all condition had existed for years and I could find no permanent relief. Finally I read of an old comrade being cured by Plant Juice and at once decided to try it. From the very first I noticed improvement, and now, after taking Plant Juice for a short time, all my stomach trouble and pains have left me; I can eat a hearty meal and get a good night's sleep. I am a well man once more, thanks to Plant Juice. I am recommending this medicine to all of my old comrades."

Plant Juice is sold in Waco by Morrison's Old Corner Drug Store, where it is being introduced and its merits explained.

nevertheless the personal element was present.

Meeting is Cordial. Cordially and without any trace of feeling the two men talked of the situation which resulted in Mr. Bryan's resignation. Each spoke dispassionately of the differences and his belief that the other was doing what he thought best for the United States. Though they were touched with the regard the two men displayed for each other.

Finally Mr. Bryan remarked that he knew the president was busy and that he would not detain him longer. The two men, who have stood together during the last two years in one crisis after another, rose to their feet simultaneously and clasped hands.

"God bless you," said each as their hands touched.

As Mr. Bryan walked from the White House he was met by J. J. Jusander, the French ambassador, and Colonel Vignal, the new military attaché of the French embassy, who were calling to pay their respects to the president. While the colonel, in the dress uniform of the French army, stood at salute, the ambassador advanced quickly and shook hands warmly with Mr. Bryan. For several minutes Mr. Bryan and the ambassador stood talking. Each spoke of the regret at the parting of official relations.

Waiting near the steps was a woman and two small children. Mr. Bryan stopped and shook hands with all three and walked away with Secretary Tumulty.

Mr. Bryan confided to friends today that he slept all last night for the first time in months.

On leaving the state department Mr. Bryan drove directly home. When he distributed among waiting correspondents copies of his statement he explained he might have something further to say after the note had been made public.

Remembering that he expected to remain in Washington for a time at least, Mr. Bryan said while here he would keep in touch with the administration and probably occasionally would be about the state department.

Mr. Bryan told several persons that he had felt from the day the American citizen Thresher was killed on the British ship Falaba that Americans had no business traversing the war zone on belligerent ships.

It was his view that Thresher did not have the same right before war as he would have had under ordinary circumstances because he ventured on a belligerent ship into danger.

In urging the president and the cabinet to submit existing differences with Germany to an investigating commission he proposed that when the commission was sitting steps be taken to prohibit American ships from carrying ammunition and to prevent American citizens from sailing on vessels of the nations at war.

So man, Mr. Bryan urged, would go into court to prevent the government of the United States restraining him from undertaking a journey at the risk of his own life.

Markets Affected.

New York, June 9.—The implications and possibilities contained in the resignation of Secretary Bryan were in themselves sufficient to cause a disturbance in the stock market today. Financial interests, however, received the news with little surprise.

Final prices showed but slight recovery from the average of low levels reached under selling pressure during the day. Representative stocks lost 1 to 2 points and some less promising shares scored greater losses. United States Steel, which supplied almost 20 per cent of the day's total of 550,000 shares, made a net decline of 1 1/2 points, falling over 2 points below its high price of the day.

Copper and allied issues, which recently showed exceptional strength on favorable trade conditions, suffered in like degree, while minor stocks of various kinds fell back 3 to 5 points.

Among the few stocks which were not affected by the day's general tendency was Bethlehem Steel, which rose to 16 1/2 in the early dealings, exceeding its previous high record by 2 points, but falling back to 15 3/4, a net gain of 2 1/2 points.

Causes Stir in Germany.

London, June 9, 10:35 p. m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegram company from Amsterdam says:

"The news of the resignation of Secretary Bryan became known in Germany at noon today and caused a deep stir. The foreign office ordered the newspapers to refrain from commenting on the resignation until further notice."

French Statement.

Paris, June 9, 10:25 p. m.—The following communication was issued tonight:

"Artillery fighting has continued very violently north of Arras. We carried last night and this morning the houses in Neuville St. Vaast, which the enemy still held. All the villages on the east side are in our possession. We have besides progressed up to the north group of houses. In the Labyrinth our advance is

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being followed up, notably in the southeastern section. Near Hoboken, notwithstanding a violent bombardment, we extended our positions around the Trouivert farm.

"East of Tracey Le Mont at the Quenevies farm a counter attack by the enemy last night was completely checked. We have strengthened all the ground gained by us on June 6. On the rest of the front there is nothing to report."

No More to Resign. New York, June 9.—An honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, by New York university today. Secretary Lane said rumors of further resignations from the president's cabinet were without foundation.

"That means that with the exception of Mr. Bryan the cabinet is solidly behind the president in his present policy in the international situation," he was asked.

"Absolutely," he replied.

Temple After Conventions. Temple, June 9.—The Temple Chamber of Commerce has decided to inaugurate an aggressive policy in the matter of securing conventions for this city during the coming year and will use every inducement to cause as many organizations as possible to make Temple their meeting place during the period named.

The latest convention sought is that of the Texas Commercial Executives' association for 1916, and Secretary Lane will visit Dallas during the convention to be held in that city June 17-19, inclusive, and endeavor to swing the next year's convention to this city.

Bellevue Normal Starts. Belton, June 9.—The Belton County Teachers' Summer Normal school commenced its sessions here this morning with a large attendance in the administration building at Baylor college. Prof. W. B. Seabury of Temple is conducting the school which will continue until July 29.

This spring was unusually favorable for farm work, enabling farmers to put in large acreages of field crop. The acreage in wheat, oats and barley combined is estimated at 167,000, or 4.6 per cent above last year. The area of clover intended for hay is estimated to be 47 per cent larger than last year's area.

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Prospects Brighter
for Big Wheat Crop

Washington, June 9.—Prospects of a billion bushel wheat crop were brightened during the last week by favorable weather for both winter and spring wheat, according to today's national weather and crop bulletin.

"Despite further rains in some of the important winter wheat states," says the crop bulletin, "the wheat crop appears not to have suffered to any extent save from flooding and too rank growth in limited areas. Over the remaining districts wheat generally improved during the week. Harvesting is under way in the southern limits of the belt and the crop is heading satisfactorily further north and in the far west where it is reported as being in splendid condition."

"The composite condition of all crops June 1 was about 1.1 per cent above their ten-year average condition on that date compared with 2.2 per cent last year. Fewer extremes than usual prevailed in the growing conditions generally. Only one summer crop—of twenty-two crops reported—was below its average condition. The peach crop ranked highest with 28.4 per cent better than average condition."

"California with 12.8 per cent above average was first among the states in general average crop conditions. On June 1, Kansas was second with 12.1 per cent above average, with Nebraska third with 11.2 per cent above average. Louisiana stood lowest with 8.9 per cent below average condition. About half the states were within three per cent of their general average."

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Two New Styles

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SCHOOL BOARD PLACES MORE WORK UNDER SUPERVISION OF MISS M. HALIBURTON.

Bids Asked for Equipping Heating Plants for Natural Gas—No More Teachers Selected.

In addition to the first three grades, the fourth grade in the Waco public schools will be under the supervision of Miss M. Haliburton, primary supervisor, according to a decision of the board at a meeting held yesterday at the high school. On account of several members of the board being absent, no action was taken on completing the force of teachers.

W. W. Brazelton, Dr. N. A. Olive and C. K. Dumas are appointed as a committee with power to act in the matter of waterproofing the high school basement. Bids were received and opened for this work about ten days ago. E. H. Vaden, business manager, was instructed to have the office at the high school screened.

Bids will be asked for the installation of natural gas in all heating plants of the public schools. The board did not decide definitely to install gas this winter, first desiring to see what the work of changing from one heating system to another could cost.

The secretary of the board was instructed to write another letter to the city commission, calling attention to the overloaded condition of the building at the South Eighth street building and asking that attention be given to the matter.

Principal E. T. Ginhelmer reported that the senior class which graduated had raised \$142 towards the library fund. As has been the custom, the board voted to take a like amount from the regular school money and add to the fund, which will make \$284 the worth of books bought for the library and placed to the credit of the class of 1915.

It was also ordered that examinations for pupils in the various summer schools should be under the supervision of Superintendent B. C. Cobb.

Fracture of Skull Caused When Ball Hits Boy's Forehead

In an attempt to catch two balls at once, Hubert Bateman, 16 years old, who lives on Preston street, suffered a fracture of the frontal bone of his forehead. With some other boys, he was playing catch in Young Bateman park just before the Waco-San Antonio game started. After the ball struck him, just between the eyes, he staggered around for a minute, as if blinded.

Dr. Paul C. Murphy was called, had the boy taken out to Providence hospital, and attended him there last night. Dr. Murphy would not believe that the boy was hurt. Young Bateman was resting easy at a late hour last night.

Miss Elizabeth Barber to marry. Miss Elizabeth Barber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Barber, of Waco, will be married next Wednesday night to E. D. Rich of Temple. The wedding will take place in the Seventh Street Methodist church at Temple. Ferdinand S. Marrs of Waco, a close friend of both young people, will perform the ceremony. Until a short time ago, Mr. Rich was a resident of Waco.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED SORE, ACHING FEET

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet, swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns, callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ." "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magic; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired. Get a 25 cent box at any drug or department store, and get relief.

BOY SCOUT CAMP PITCHED ON BOSQUE

FOLLOWING PARADE IN TOWN, SIXTY YOUNGSTERS START ON SUMMER OUTING.

THIRTY-THREE TENTS ARE UP

Good Luck in Fishing and No Rain Reported by Phone for First Day.

Reports received last night from the Boy Scouts' camp on the Charles E. Moore farm at the junction of the South and Middle Bosque rivers were that the first day had passed off well with everybody comfortably settled. Good luck in fishing was had for the first day. No rain was reported at the camp yesterday, although there was some farther up the river. A telephone has been installed in the camp by the Texas Telephone company.

The last section reached the camp at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The start was made from Waco at 9:30, following a parade down Franklin and up Austin, starting from the American Express company's office at Sixth and Franklin. About sixty boys were in the party which went out yesterday. More will go later.

Scout Commissioner Nat Hays is being assisted in directing the camp by "Pete" Edmond, Clytus Jones, T. A. Caulfield, Charles Parker, T. E. Hubby, John Dockery and George Fall. The camp has been laid out on military plan, there being thirty-three tents, including the headquarters tent. In addition, there are cook and dining tents to accommodate the whole camp.

Disposition of the boys in the camp is as follows: Tent No. 1, Nat Hays, John Dockery, George Fall; tent No. 2, Frank Frazier, H. Bohannon, Charles Funston, Slats Mosley; No. 3, Rue Weddington, Edward Cook; No. 4, George Stanford; No. 5, Ross Cantrell, Doris Kirkland; No. 6, Lebaun Elliott, F. L. Greer, Alex Henry; No. 7, James Baugh, Robert Matthews; No. 8, Frank Owens; No. 9, James Robinson; Harry Robinson; No. 10, William Green, Robert Lunsford, Leroy Holt, Jack West; No. 11, Wilford Dutton; No. 12, Harry Cain; No. 13, R. E. Buchanan, Murrie Burnham; R. E. Buchanan, Murrie Burnham; No. 14, Albert Redding, Haynes Redding; No. 15, George Caulfield, Cecil Caulfield; No. 16, Dink Hubby, Charles Parker Jr.; No. 17, Retinal Kepler, George Smith; No. 18, Aide Fort, Walter Palmer; No. 19, Lonnie Wollett; No. 20, Leo McReynolds, Oliver Halbert; No. 21, Bill McReynolds; No. 22, Frank Mayfield; No. 23, Max Pickett; No. 24, Dub Torbett; No. 25, Alex Henry, Norman Padgett; No. 26, Murrell Russell, Warren Haynes; No. 27, Jack Lewis, Billy Brewer; No. 28, Wortham Renfro, Thomas Patton; No. 29, Ben Pettie, Wilfred Lyde; No. 30, Walter Crippen, Penn Branch; No. 31, Paul McCracken, Ike Halbert; No. 32, George Wolfe, Terry Wolfe, Herbert Jenkins, headquarters camp, Pete Edmond, Clytus Jones, T. A. Caulfield, Charles Parker, T. E. Hubby.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. C. Bridges of Temple is in the city on business.

Louis T. Werner, prominent citizen of Eddy, was in the city yesterday.

W. N. Payne, Baylor 1908, well known as a singer, is in the city for a day or so.

Foley Wood, general agent of the Queen and Crescent, was in the railroad offices yesterday from Dallas.

Home O. Jennings, former city attorney of Marlin, took in the commencement exercises at Baylor yesterday.

Lee Francis, traveling passenger agent of the Texas and Pacific, was in the city yesterday from Fort Worth.

P. G. Thompson, Baylor 1906, now an attorney at Greenfield, was here yesterday to take in the commencement exercises.

R. P. Buckingham Jr., commercial agent of the Katy, made a trip up the Katy lines yesterday in the interest of his department.

Robert A. Bridges, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines, left the city from his Dallas headquarters yesterday.

A. B. Crouch, prominent grain dealer of Temple, accompanied by his family, came up yesterday to witness the graduation of his sister, Miss Minnie Crouch, at Baylor university.

A. J. Jarrell, prominent Temple merchant, and Dr. S. E. Tull, new pastor of the First Baptist church of that city, motored to Waco yesterday to attend the commencement exercises at Baylor university.

T. C. Craig, editor of the Chandler Times, was a visitor at the Morning News office last night on his way to the State Press association meeting at Corpus Christi. He reports everything in fine condition in East Texas.

Miss Dorothy Scarborough of the English faculty at Baylor left yesterday afternoon for a visit to her sister, Mrs. George W. McDaniel, at Richmond, Va., after which she will go to New York City for a summer course and a full term at Columbia university. She will take the doctor of philosophy degree there next June.

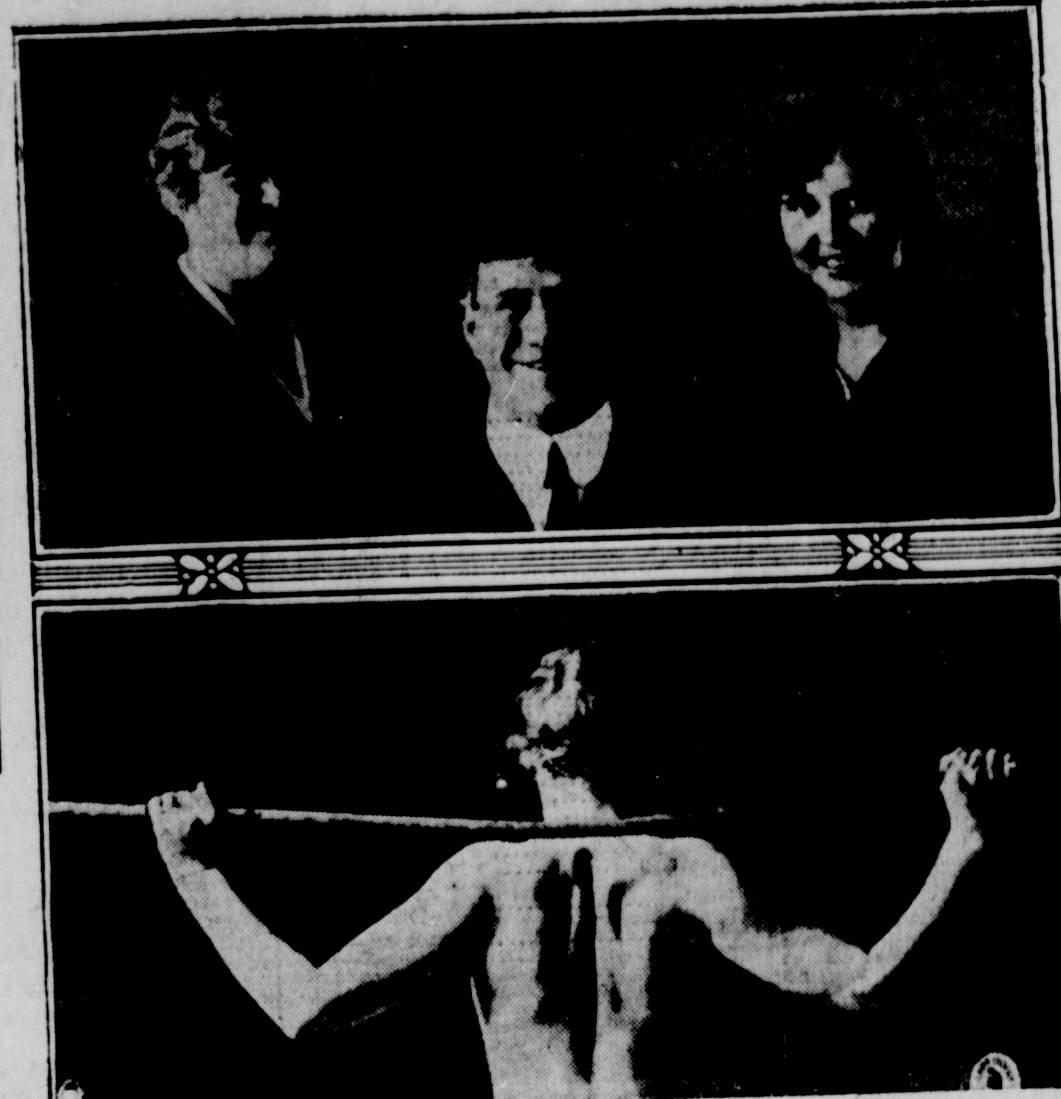
CITY NEWS BRIEFS

A special judge will be elected in the Nineteenth district court this morning, as Judge Tom L. McCulloch will be in Georgetown, delivering the annual address at Southwestern university, Georgetown.

Postmaster W. H. Hoffmann is again at his desk after a two days' absence on account of injury to his knee caused by getting caught between the stamp desk and a revolving stool. Though he uses two canes in walking, he is getting along nicely.

Police Looking for Negro. Police are looking for Charley Brown, negro, who is said to have beaten his wife until she was unconscious last night in the house occupied by the couple near Second and Jones streets. The woman was brought to the city hall, where City Physician M. B. Baker examined her. She was in a semi-conscious state all last night, and her condition was regarded as serious.

"Texas," The Strong Man Is Coming to Waco to Give Show Next Thursday



TEXAS AND GIRLS

An advance notice says: "If you see a great big man hurrying down the street this week and then see the postoffice topple over—don't be surprised. Investigation probably would show 'Texas,' the 'gentlemanly gorilla,' had bumped into the building accidentally. Occasionally such things get in the strong man's way.

"Who is Texas, the gentlemanly gorilla?" you ask.

"Texas" is the wizard who is to give a free exhibition of his strength in front of the News Thursday, June 17. And there's to be a big parade on the same day. "Texas" has got an invincible strength and he has invited them to take a ride.

"Texas" will sit in the tonneau of a motor car with a large rope around his bulging neck. To this rope will be attached from ten to twenty vehicles. In these the young women are invited to ride.

"Many have requested 'Texas' to save a seat for them, but there are several seats left. The trial was again in front of the News Thursday.

Examining Trial of W. T. Weaver Is Drawing Big Crowd

The Fifty-fourth district court room was jammed absolutely full all day yesterday by excited negroes who wanted to see what would be done in the examining trial of W. T. Weaver, negro storekeeper, charged with killing his wife, Carrie Weaver. Justice Padgett, who is holding the trial, started out in his own room down in the basement, but the crowd was so big that he was forced to adjourn it to the top floor. To this rope will be attached from ten to twenty vehicles. In these the young women are invited to ride.

Weaver claims that two men attacked himself and his wife in the house on the Corsicana road, Wednesday last, and that his wife was hit by the head and killed and that he was also struck. He was arrested by Constable Leslie Stekall and taken to the county jail. An examining trial was held yesterday at the courthouse. The woman had a knife wound back of her ear.

Assistant County Attorney Fred Kingsbury is in charge of the case for the state, while Tom Hamilton and Joe Taylor Sr. are appearing for the defense.

Ellis County Negroes Caught. Three negroes wanted by Ellis county officers were captured in Waco yesterday by Plainclothesmen Craven and Brandon. Constable Jim Humphreys, who was with them, arrested them last night from a shack with him, and they were taken to the county jail. A pistol and pistol totting, and the other on a charge of false pretense.

SUFFERED 10 YEARS WITH HEMORRHOIDS

Caused Itching, Burning and Pain. Lost Sleep. Irritated and Inflamed. Used Cuticura. Permanent Relief in a Month.

Stephens City, Va.—"My father had been a chronic sufferer with hemorrhoids for ten or fifteen years. The disease first manifested itself in the form of bleeding hemorrhoids, and later developed into tumors as large as a hen's egg. Then he would be unable to work after some unusual exertion and could get no relief sitting or lying down. His trouble caused a great deal of itching, burning and pain. He lost a great deal of sleep. The affected parts were irritated and inflamed very much. "It was during one of his severe attacks that I suggested to him the use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. He found much relief from the itching and burning by bathing the affected parts with warm water and Cuticura Soap. After that he would apply the Cuticura Ointment. The first application relieved him considerably and after three applications he was able to go to work. His hemorrhoids were cured in a month and was permanently cured." (Signed) Miss Saxton Samuels, October 27, 1914.

Sample Each Free by Mail With 32-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

store for those who see the wonderful feat of the gorilla-like, strong man. There's "Helene," the prize beauty model, who will appear in Dame Fashion's latest creations. She will show the women of Waco the very latest in new gown "Texas." When physicians said she had but a few months to live, she sought the Lone Star state giant for advice. To "Texas" she applied her strength and beauty. She is termed "the perfectly formed woman of the West." Incidentally, she became the bride of Texas.

"Of course 'Texas' is not the giant's real name. His name is Albert B. Ritchie—at least that's the way he signs it to his titles to real estate—and he's signed some few, too. 'Texas' is the owner of several western ranches.

"The strong man was born in Texas as thirty-four years ago. His business career began when he got an armful of newspapers and began selling them.

"His strong voice brought him many customers—even though it did scare some of them. At the age of eleven

years 'Texas' weighed 155 pounds and his muscles were hard as nails.

"When he was fifteen he was in Chicago selling papers and doing odd jobs. One night he dreamed of the great feats of Samson. The next morning he day-dreamed of breaking iron bars. That night he tried himself out.

"'Texas' found that what seemed impossible to other men was easy for him to do. Iron bars he could twist in two, oak planks he could break over his head, and there seemed to be nothing he could not tear or twist or bite in two with his massive jaws and teeth.

"I'll admit I was born with great strength, but physical culture has a great deal to do with it," says "Texas." "I can give no freak advice or cure-alls. Strength is greatly a matter of mind and will power. I'll gladly give advice to those who wish it. I have a system of development all my own, and I know it is a good one."

"See that?"

"Texas" took an eight-penny spike and drove it through a two-inch board with his bare fist."

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Francis Nardelle Ibert Dies. Francis Nardelle, the 19-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ibert, died Sunday, June 6, at 12:15 o'clock, at the home of Mr. Ibert's brother, T. J. Clark in Brownstown, Ark.

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John Washington of Bosqueville Dies. John Washington, aged 75, pioneer farmer of this county, died Tuesday night at his home near Bosqueville, where he had lived for many years. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock with burial at Bosqueville. Rev. Mr. Gardner, pastor of the Methodist church at Bosqueville, officiated.

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DEATHS

A. C. Bowles of Speegleville Dies. A. C. Bowles, aged 69, for half a century a citizen of McLennan county, died Tuesday afternoon at his home at Speegleville. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock this morning at Speegleville.

Mr. Bowles moved to McLennan county from Dade county, Missouri, in 1865, following the close of the Civil war, through which he served as a member of Shelby's Confederate cavalry. He is survived by four sons and two daughters, as follows: O. E. Bowles, Hamilton; Thurston Bowles; Waco; Roy and Loy Bowles, Speegleville; Mrs. Hattie Finley, Robinson; Mrs. Clara Cooper, New Salem. He has four brothers living at Denver, Colo.

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Orange Party Here on Way to Frisco in Pierce-Arrows

Having already traveled more than 65,000 miles in her big 66 horsepower Pierce-Arrow, Mrs. H. J. Leutcher of Orange, with a party of friends, has started on a 20,000 mile trip from Orange to San Francisco, then to New York, and then back to Orange again.

But in addition to the big yellow car which has passed through Waco several times before, is a 48 horsepower Pierce-Arrow car, specially built to carry all equipment necessary to overcome road troubles of most any sort.

Mrs. Leutcher, who is 75 years old, is very wealthy and spends most of her time traveling in the big yellow Pierce-Arrow. The party consists of Mrs. Ida Aichenbach, Miss Bessie Moss, Rev. E. A. Drake of Orange, and the two chauffeurs, Herbert Fiedler and Albert Fiedler. The big cars came in from Bryan yesterday and will leave Waco late this afternoon. The party is registered at the State House.

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How to Gain Weight A Pound a Day

Thin men and women would like to increase their weight with 10 or 15 pounds of healthy "stay" there" fat should try eating a little Sargol with their meals for a while and note results. Here's a good test worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—one tablet with every meal for a week. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or feel or what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story, and most any thin man or woman can easily gain five to eight pounds in the first fourteen days by following this simple direction. And, best of all, the new flesh stays put.

Sargol does not of itself make fat, but it makes you eat more and makes you eat the right things. Sargol is a natural food, it contains no sugar and starches of what you have to eat today, ripe fat producing nourishment for the tissues and blood, prepares it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. All this without any waste. But Sargol stops the waste and does it quickly and makes you eat more and makes you eat the right things. Sargol is a natural food, it contains no sugar and starches of what you have to eat today, ripe fat producing nourishment for the tissues and blood, prepares it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. All this without any waste. But Sargol stops the waste and does it quickly and makes you eat more and makes you eat the right things. 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MARKET REPORT

COTTON

New York, June 9.—Cotton futures were nervous and unsettled today, with the close at a net decline of 14 to 20 points.

The Washington news no doubt accounted for considerable liquidation and pressure. The market opened easy at a decline of 9 to 14 points and active months sold about 12 to 14 points net lower right after the call. Bearish sentiment appeared to be encouraged by the decline in Liverpool, unfavorable Manchester labor news and favorable weather conditions in the south, but offers were well absorbed just below 9.75c for October contracts and prices rallied four or five points from the lowest during the late forenoon.

Houses with European connections were moderate buyers on the advance, and there were reports from Little Rock that Liverpool spot buyers were reentering the market there but there was no general support and prices weakened again during the afternoon under increased Wall Street and southern offerings.

The weekly report of the weather bureau was about as expected, failed to create any fresh sentiment. While selling also was prompted by the favorable weekly weather forecast and talk of somewhat easier spot markets, closing prices were practically the lowest for the day.

Except for comment upon excessive rainfall in Oklahoma and parts of Texas and the Oklahomas, the weekly weather report indicated satisfactory progress with the crop and the promise of generally fair weather for the coming week led to renewed predictions of a probably higher price for the season. Port receipts for the day were 14,835 bales, making 17,177 so far this season. Port receipts for the week were 102,545 bales. United States port stocks 554,157.

New Orleans, June 9.—Cotton lost about a cent and a half today on the political news from Washington. In the early morning the market was steady at a decline of 15 to 20 points. The market was steady at the decline and soon recovered about 10 points. The fine held steady and the recovery was well maintained, but in the afternoon after the reduction of spot quotations the market closed at the lowest of the session at a net loss of 17 to 20 points.

It was a quiet day on the whole, trading being hampered by the uncertainty over both the German and the American situation. Some were disposed to liquidate.

Weather and crop news was favorable and the market was in evidence at the close of the day.

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FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD IN ACADEMY AUDITORIUM.

HONORS AND MEDALS AWARDED

Miss Mary Gorman of Waco, Valedictorian—Drama "Patricia" is Given.

Announcement of honors and awards, presentation of diplomas and medals to twelve members of the graduating class, and the four-act drama, "Patricia," played by the graduates, made up the forty-second annual commencement of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, held last night in the Sacred Heart auditorium. Miss Mary Gorman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Gorman, of Waco, as the graduate making the highest average grade, was the valedictorian. The salutatory was delivered by Miss Lyle McNeese, Miss Gorman's subject was "Mastering Difficulties," and that of Miss McNeese, "Endeavor." Very Reverend Dean E. A. Kelly, rector of the Church of the Assumption, delivered the address to the graduates.

Those receiving diplomas were Miss Mary Gorman, Miss Catherine O'Neill, Miss Jewell Wortham, Miss Wilma Shaffer, Miss Blanche Dupre, Miss Annette Nethery, Miss Rose Grady, Miss Lyle McNeese, Miss Frances Hopkins, Miss Rosa Lee Downey, Miss Rose McCormick and Miss Clemmie Tate.

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The gold medal for good conduct in the boarding school was awarded by vote of the faculty and students to Miss Susie Mitchell.

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The gold medal for best attendance in the day school was drawn by Miss Lula Saunders. This medal was tested for by twelve girls, neither of whom missed a day from school.

Drawing was necessary to decide the winner.

The gold medal given by the Very Reverend E. A. Kelly for daily communion was won by Master Terrence Munday.

The silver medal given by Father Kelly for serving mass was won by Master Charles Weber.

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Class Drama Given.

Acting of many of the principals of the class drama, "Patricia," presented last night, was superb, and approached the finish of the best professional.

Especially might be noted the work of Miss Rose Grady as Flavia, Miss Wilma Shaffer as Patricia and Miss Mary Gorman as Octavia. The cast and synopsis of the play follow:

CAST.
Augusta, empress of Rome..... Miss Jewel Wortham
Octavia, emperor's daughter..... Miss Mary Gorman
Patricia, a Christian maiden of nobility..... Miss Wilma Shaffer
Cecilia Metella, Roman Christian maiden..... Miss Blanche Dupre
Marguerita, Roman Christian maiden..... Miss Annette Nethery
Melitta, a blind dancing girl..... Miss Juliet Herbelin
Myrta, her sister..... Miss Catherine O'Neill
Flavia, a Greek slave girl..... Miss Rose Grady
Cornelia, augustus of Rome..... Miss Lyle McNeese
Zenobia, princess of Ethiopia..... Miss Frances Hopkins
Ladies in Attendance on the Em-press..... Miss Rosa Lee Downey, Miss Rose McCormick, Miss Clemmie Tate, Miss Lyle McNeese, Miss Frances Hopkins, Miss Rosa Lee Downey, Miss Rose McCormick, Miss Clemmie Tate, Miss Lyle McNeese, Miss Frances Hopkins, Miss Rosa Lee Downey, Miss Rose McCormick, Miss Clemmie Tate.

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BAYLOR GRADUATES SEVENTIETH CLASS

ONE HUNDRED AND TEN DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS AWARDED IN CARROLL CHAPEL.

PROCESSIONAL ACROSS CAMPUS

Commencement Address Delivered by Rev. William A. Hamlett, Who Graduated in 1896.

Degrees and diplomas to the number of 110 were awarded at the seventieth annual commencement of Baylor university, held yesterday morning in Carroll chapel. Of this number 23 were doctors of medicine and graduates in pharmacy of the medical department of the university, located at Dallas. The largest number of any degree awarded was that of Bachelor of Arts, 68 qualifying. There were three Bachelor of Letters degrees, two Doctor of Divinity and one Doctor of Laws. Graduates in the fine arts department of piano, violin, art and expression numbered 13.

The commencement address was delivered by the Reverend William Alexander Hamlett, B. D. of the class of 1896, who was the president of the graduates following the announcement of the diplomas. Music was furnished by the Baylor Symphony orchestra under the direction of Antonio Navratil.

Full ceremonies have made up the Baylor commencement for seven years marked the commencement yesterday. The commencement procession, made up of the president, faculty and trustees of the university, and the candidates for diplomas in fine arts, faculty and trustees of the university, formed at 9:15 in the order named. They moved in Carroll science hall, and 9:45 moved across the quadrangle lawn to Carroll chapel. The procession was led by the Baylor band under the direction of Charles Parker. Following the procession, the graduates, in the same order and passed out of the building, the great shout of applause and sang the Baylor song.

For several years the commencement arrangements have been in charge of E. G. Guitard, professor of history. In addition to Professor Guitard as chairman, the faculty arrangement committee was composed of Rudolf Huffman, dean of music, and Miss Kate Griffith, assistant professor of German.

Professor Guitard was master of ceremonies and chief marshal of the procession.

Wade Hill Pool, dean of the academy, S. H. Spencer, instructor in chemistry, and T. H. Claypool, assistant professor of chemistry, composed the faculty reception committee. These were assisted by Earl Hankamer, H. J. Pritchard, H. G. Moore, Lemuel B. Jones, Misses Myra Jones, E. J. Connell, Bar-ness Wood and Catherine Faust, committee on the student committee.

The complete program for the commencement yesterday was as follows:

Invocation, Rev. John R. Morris, Waco.

"Festival March" (Mendelssohn), Baylor Symphony orchestra, Antonio Navratil, director.

Commencement address, "My Task," by Rev. William Alexander Hamlett, A. B., '96.

Quartet, "Rigoletto" (Verdi), Baylor Symphony orchestra.

Announcement of scholarships and honors.

Presentation of fine arts diplomas.

Conferring of degrees.

President's address to graduating class.

Invocation, Rev. E. Lynwood Crystal, Waco.

Recessional.

In conferring of degrees, Dr. Brooks was assisted by Pat M. Neff, president of the board of trustees, and members of the faculty.

Members of Class.

Candidates for degrees who successfully fulfilled the requirements of their courses and received their diplomas yesterday were as follows:

Doctor of Laws—William Joseph McGlothlin, Louisville, Ky.

Doctor of Divinity—William Alexander Hamlett, Austin; Frank Shelton, Grover, Waco.

Bachelor of Arts—John Quincy Adams, Abbott; Hugh Elbert Alexander, Blanco; Ir. Leslie Allison, Call; Mary Bowers Archibald, Lebanon, La.; Wil-son Baker, Mt. Vernon, Mo.; Don Rob-ert Barrett, Anson; Marie Jeanette Beaumont, Houston; Justin Ed-ward Bell, Simsboro, La.; John Elmer Burkhardt Jr., Houston; John Homer Caskey, Waco; William Roy Chris-tian, West; Elizabeth Christian Clay, South Bosque; Henry C. Coit, Hen-ner; Bennie Lewis Cook, Weir; Ger-ald ry Clothilde Cox, Carbon, Nev.; Spillman, Craig; Otton; Minnie M. Clough, Temple; Samuel David Dol-lahite, Longview; Charlie Allen Pan-kin, Greenville; Corinne Planken-berg, Waco; Zola Fouts, Willis; Fred-rica fifth, Stephenson; Joseph Weldon Hale, Groes, Houston; Joseph Weldon Hale, Rosebud; Earl Curtis Hankamer, Beaumont; L. C. Harlow, Waco; Mary Cloyd Harrison, Greenville; Dixie nest Hitt, Cleveland, Okla.; Christo-pher Curtis Cooper, Webb City, Ark.; Vera Faye Humphrey, Portales, N. M.; Hallie Lee Jameson, Waco; Ina Edith Jones, Hubbard; Oscar C. Kenney, Farmersville; Sarah Catherine Lattimore, Waco; Vivian Lawson, Center; John Sayle Leach, Allen; Mary Lipscomb, Plainview; Mary McElroy, Waco; William Henry Man-ning, Westlake, La.; James Nelson Mendenhall Jr., Plano; A. Ernest Moon, Hillsboro; Nathan Vanzant Morgan, Dublin; Charles Lee Mor-ris, San Marcos; Roy Lee Morris, San Marcos; James Edward Morrow, Port Arthur; Mary Ellen Oatman, Lov-ing; Helen Mae Olenbush, Waco; Bailis William Orrick, Madisonville; James Clyde Pierce, Yachow, Ethel Margaret Pierce, Pineville, La.; Byron Smith, Oklaunion; Carl Morris Smith, Oklaunion; Juanita Wyman Smith, Clarendon; Juanita Hazel Smith, Fairfax, Mo.; Mary Leith South, Waco; J. W. Thomas, Waco; Alice Cain Thompson, Greenville; Gladys Thornton, Waco; E. B. Deane Walker, Elmore; Charles Howard Walton, Waco; Winnie War-

ren, Merkel; Mary Naomi Watson, Richardson; Jewell Emma White, Chattanooga, Okla.; Lynn White, Texarkana; Sherrod Ambrose Wil-iams, Spur; Herbert S. Woods, Kir-byville.
Bachelor of Letters—Reba Funk, Bridgeport; Corrie Christine Ivey, San Marcos; Annie Lourine Price, Hous-ton.
General Honors—Corrie Christine Ivey, magna cum laude, San Marcos; Piano—Mary Edna Booth, Eagle Lake; W. W. Funk, Bridgeport; Mary Fredrica Gross, Houston; Corrie Christine Ivey, San Marcos; Louise Law-son, Waco; Hazel Ida Parnell, Mart; Mabel Rowan, Canyon; Erna Nala Voss, San Angelo; Mattie Alida Watson, Richardson.
Violin—Stella Clare Wolters, Shi-ner.
Art—Margaret Glenn Royalty, Gates-ville; Winnie Warren, Merkel.
Expression—Jennette V. Allen, Cle-burne.

Scholarships Awarded.

Scholarships for 1915-16 were an-nounced as follows:

The Lula Garrett scholarship, Jo-seph Eugene Boulet, Waco.
Edgar L. Marston scholarship, Wil-liam Henry Macgovern Jr., Westlake, 1896.
Paul Clay Porter, Waco.
Rufus C. Burlingame scholarship, Iri-Louise Allison, Call.

M. H. Wolfe scholarship, Leonard Leroy Burkhalter, Westlake.
L. L. Lusk scholarship, Frances Marie Willes, Parsons, Kan.

Mack Grimmitt scholarship, Harold Griffiths Jansen, Alta Loma.
Jogessa scholarship in mathemat-ics, Harry Paul Newton, Waco.
Erisaolian society scholarship, Lem-uel Hall, Tupelo, Miss.

Phi-kappa society scholarship, Je-freid Burkhalter, Westlake.
Rufus C. Burlingame society schol-arship, Nannie Landis Barton, Waco.
Calliopean society scholarship, Irene Barbara Marshall, Dallas.
Mrs. J. W. Riley fellowship, Robert East, Crogan, Dallas.

Decatur scholarship, Claude Dille-hay, Decatur.
Wayland Baptist college schol-arship, Wayne Dalton, Plainview.
Westminster academy scholarship, Lester Ashton Hartley, Plainview.

Rusk academy scholarship, Kittiebel McMinn, Rusk.
Waco high school scholarships, Nan-nie Landis Barton, Waco; Helen May Olenbush, Waco.

Bryan Baptist academy scholarship, Elsie Josephine Martin, Baylor.
State college scholarships, Leon Richard Barron, Waco.
Federated clubs scholarship, Minnie Lee Carley, Reagan.

The Nineteen Southern Class schol-arship, Mayes Behrman, Alta Loma.
Honors Announced.

Following are winners in the vari-ous university contests for 1914-15, as announced yesterday:

Ben E. Dancer debate, Dixie Cleve-land Hobbs, Huntsville, Ala.; Jas. Allen Gadsod, Waco.
Baylor-Mercer debate, Dixie Cleve-land Hobbs, Huntsville, Ala.; James Wesley Smith Jr., Allen.

Scoutwestern-Baylor debate, Fred-erick Smith, Crawford; Leonard Le-roy Burkhalter, West.

Preliminary peace contest, Harold Wilson Walker, Dallas.

Final primary state oratorical con-tempt, Samuel David Dollahite, Long-view.

Sophomore honors—Nannie Landis Barton, Waco; Mary Catherine Faust, Dublin.

Academy certificates—Ivo Alves de Araujo, Pernambuco, Brazil; Susan Louise Raugh, Broxton, Miss.; Jas. Ingram Binford, Waco; Mrs. Woodie Ingram Binford, Waco; Jean Settle Boyce, Bentonville, Ark.; Lelle Vir-ginia Davis, Cushing; Mrs. Mildred Myrtle Davis, Waco; Ruth Johnson, Eastland, Miss.; Robert Mashburn, De-Kalb; Sallie Bernice Menefee, Chi-ron; Emil Mikeska, Abbott; Benja-min Rush Miami, Waco; George Fred-erick Nelson, Mt. Calm; Gideon Jaco-bus Rousseau, Waco; Honora Reva Silbert, Dawson; Oscar Wilde Stew-art, Waco; Edwin Harrell Suhr, Hous-ton; Holland Henry Teaff, Merkel; William Hays Townsend, Leesburg; Katharine Nevada; Joie Dea Wil-iams, Waco; Lella Mattie William-son, Cushing.

President Brooks' Address.

The annual address to the graduat-ing class by Dr. S. P. Brooks, presi-dent of the university, was as fol-lows:

"I am the thirteenth class to go out from Baylor university since I have had the honor to confer the de-grees. I have spoken to you class after class, and I have spoken to you about some of our history. Today my mind is turned to an appeal for your everlasting loyalty to this dear old school to which we all owe so much."

"I beg you to be true to her stand-ards of learning, of morals and of progress. I plead that you may so live that you will carry her flag with you."

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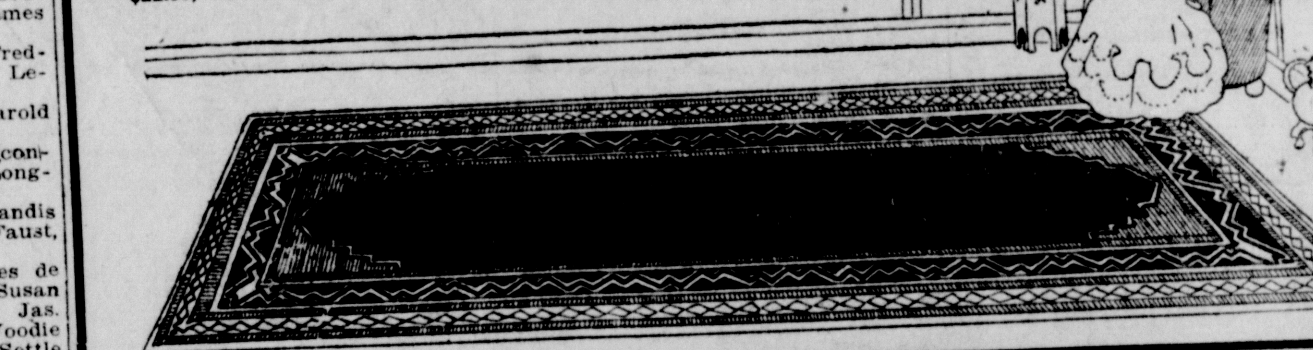
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While demonstrating the possibilities and capacity of the Haynes Light Six yesterday evening about 6:30 at the garage of W. M. Oden at 710 Austin the strength of the car was shown in a way that had not been intended when the demonstration first started. Mr. Oden cranked the machine, and it started running—to which there was no stopping. As a result the big car ran into the door and window of the building, breaking out one of the glass panels and shoving the door out with hinges and facing attached and also knocking the window out of place as well as wrecking the glass. The only damage done to the Light Six was a broken glass in the front light, which was knocked out by a piece of the splintered door, thus standing the tests intended as well as the strong test on its strength and its building.

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Wishes to announce that she has removed from Marlin to Waco and has offices at 317 Peerless building. Practice limited to office treatment of women. Hours 9:30 to 12:30 a. m., and 2 to 5 p. m.—Adv.

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